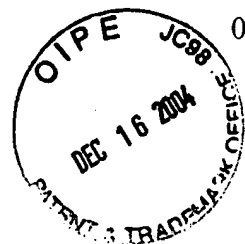


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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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	:	Group Art Unit: 1651
Appln. No.: 10/776,224)	
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Filed: February 12, 2004)	
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For: PEPTIDES)	December 16, 2004

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE
CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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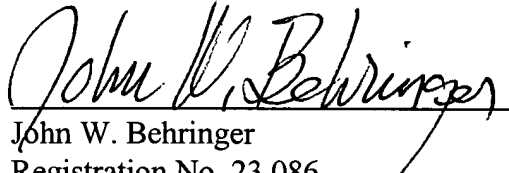
Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the NOTICE TO FILE
CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS dated September 16, 2004, by one (1) month,
i.e., from November 16, 2004 to December 16, 2004. A check in the amount of \$120.00 in
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extension, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS mailed September 16, 2004, enclosed please find replacement formal drawings. Also enclosed is a copy of the NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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